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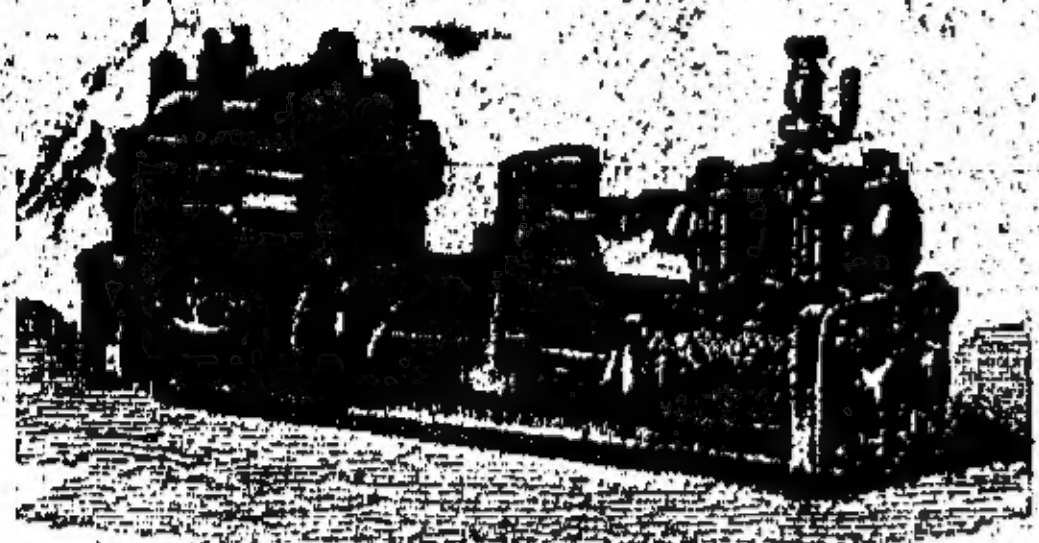
HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1899.

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F. KIRNE,
Acting Manager. 1069

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

A Certificate for 100 Shares Numbered 18972/17071 Standing in the Register of this Company in the name of Miss ELLEN FARRELL BROWN, having been LOST.

Notices is hereby given that a Duplicate Certificate for the said 100 Shares will be Issued One Month hence, and that the Original Certificate unless produced within that Period will thereafter be held by the Company as Null and Void.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
General Managers. 1115

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN Interim BONUS of Twenty Per Cent upon Contributions for the year 1898, has been Declared.

WARRANTS will be issued on the 1st May.

By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES,
Secretary. 934

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

I Have This Day handed Over Charge of the Kowloon Customs to Mr. H. W. BRAZIER, Acting Deputy Commissioner.

H. M. HILLIER,
Commissioner of Customs.

I have This Day assumed Charge of the Kowloon Customs and Stations.

Mr. W. BRAZIER,
Acting Deputy Commissioner-in-Charge,
Customs House,
Kowloon, 8th May, 1899. 1145

NOTICE.

I BEG to inform the Public that from This Day, I have Admitted Mr. MA PAK NIN, as PARTNER of This FIRM.

RICCI AQUINO,
Managing Partner. 1148

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FOR STEAMSHIP CAPTAIN DATE

SHANGHAI. China. R. STREET. About 19th May.

LONDON. do. Coromandel. F. W. VIBERT, R.N.R. Noon, 13th May.

YOKOHAMA. do. S. DE B. LOCKYER, R.N.R. 4 p.m., 13th May.

LONDON. do. W. H. HAUGHTON, R.N.R. At 17th May.

ROBE (DIRECT). Nankin. F. O. A. LYON, R.N.R. A boat 17th May.

* See Special Advertisement. + For Freight, (only).

For Freight or passage, and further Particulars, apply to H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1074

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THE DUC DE MONTEBELLO
CHAMPAGNE.

HARVEY'S ROYAL TAWNY PORT.

Hongkong Agent.— W. HUTTON POTTS,
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OLD TOM AND DRY
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NEW STOCK OF LADIES'
TRIMMED AND UNTRIMMED MILLINERY,
NEW FLOWERS, FEATHERS,
LACES, RIBBONS, Etc., Etc. 676

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A FIRST-CLASS HOTEL THOROUGHLY EQUIPPED IN ALL DEPARTMENTS. 5284

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A MOST AGREEABLE AND EFFECTIVE REFRESHING APERIENT.

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EUCALYPTUS OIL
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AROMATIC
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Hongkong, 20th April, 1899.

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&c., &c.

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SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers.

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COTTAM & Co., HATS.

SCARVES, COLLARS, SHIRTS, Etc.,
BOOTS & SHOES.

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TANSAN, TANSAN, TANSAN, DRINK TANSAN.

THE KING OF TABLE WATERS.

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Beck & Co. Light Gravity Ale
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THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE 1898.

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF TRADE MARK.

NOTICE is hereby given that THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY INCORPORATED, which said Company is a duly Incorporated Body incorporated under and in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey one of the United States of America and carrying on the business of Tobacco Merchants at various places in the United States of America, the Chief Office of the said Company being at Nos. 507 to 529, West 22nd Street, New York in the United States of America, have on the 28th day of January, 1899, applied for the Registration in Hongkong in the Register of Trade Marks of the following TRADE MARK:-

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TELEGRAMS.

The birds have arrived. 800,000 miles camel ride in Soudan. He found ruined but the people is release from the Dar-
and Russia.
that M. de Witts, the
Finance, in a secret
Ministry of Ministers on
Anglo-Russian trade re-
England is the only
Russia can find relief for

3.—The Times of India received a piece of political importance of hardly recognised. So the news which reaches have hesitated to give it not that it has been

correspondent whose
statements are unimpeachable.
He secured an interview with
a Persian G. I. and that
he finally was to give her
information of that port when
he exco-rcises it. We may
assume that this information has
been obtained from London,
and that it was
directed from Teheran.
We may add that the port
information to obtain access
to the Dunder Abbas
Baltuchia.

W. Frontier.
6-20 is now settled in
a garison by one batta-
occupying Chital will
occupy, with Sappers and
They will be station-
intely selected by Captein
Chital itself being
ment. The change will
come, but information has
be then sent up and yet

Army News.
April 23.—Lieut.-Col. R. is appointed Commandant of the 1st District, Major R. G. Egger, Second in Command, pro-
James, Dead Irregular
nied Commandant of the
n. and Lieut.-Col. E. Pen-
nill Corps, becomes officiat-
nt of the Dead Irregular
Molyneux, Colonel on the
ere, officiates in Command
District in place of Bri-

Colonel E. Young, Assistant Quarter Master General, Lahore District, is among the officers appointed to the 42nd Gurkha Rifles.

...would probably carry away
prizes. — The dumb line
to be opened on the last inst.
troops are being drilled in
the exercises every morning in

...association may be congratulat-
ed secured the services of Sir
...its President, for the present
...friendly concordant with the
...and of the pro-
...worked out in the Chinese
...is better equipped than
...at the head of an organ-
...done much to uphold
...its in China at the present
...-L, and C. Express.

...on the trade of Ningpo in
...G. M. H. Playfair, British
...in the late autumn. Mr
...near in the early of March
...threw Ningpo

which it is proposed to connect to Ningpo via Hangchow is under the financial control of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. The large proposed north-west line of Yu-yao (previously mentioned) is to be financed and returned by way of Shantung. The proposed line now for the purpose of determining the boundary of the neighbourhood of that province should be bridged. He also proposed to connect Ningpo to Ningpo overland from

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and rioting that have characterized the elections of Ichoufu for some time is the interest of idle Chinese exhibitors con-

whole east south of China, controlled by an alien race. Whether drilling Chinese troops for a foreign power, but some things move the central Shans who should they? Let him be has no concern for the well-being of the south or provinces. Shantung is an ancient system as the rest of the so-called China. Making a little more for the whole thing, there was a strong tendency of foreign invasion falls to be more.

Shipping

Steamers

ALTERATION.
DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.
THE Company's Steamship **MAIZURU MARU**, Captain M. NAGATA, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 11th Instant, at 10 a.m., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.,
General Managers,
Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1186

THE OSAKA SHOSUN KAISHA, LD.
REGULAR WEEKLY SERVICE TO
SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.
THE Steamship **MAIZURU MARU**, Captain S. NAGATA, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 14th Inst., at Daylight.

For Freight and Passage, apply to
MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1140

Intimations

JADESTONES & CURIOS FOR SALE.

WE the Undersigned have to notify the public that we have been carrying on business as Exporters of CHINA GOODS for upwards of 40 years past enjoying the good opinion of all our numerous customers. We have now been appointed Agents for K. & M. MAN OCHO of Peking, in ANCIEN CURIOS, PEARLS, JADE-STONES AND CRYSTAL WARE, Etc., Etc.

at the best description, which we offer at most Moderate Prices.
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Agents for K. & M. MAN OCHO.
November 28, 1898. 9233

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In great variety.

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A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON
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7.30 a.m. to 8.30 a.m. Every quarter of an hour.
8.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every ten minutes.
9.30 a.m. to 10.45 a.m. Every quarter of an hour.

11.30 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
3.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
6.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

Extra cars at 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. and from 9.45 p.m. to 11.15 p.m. every half hour.

SATURDAY.
Extra cars at 11.30 and 11.45 p.m.
SUNDAYS.
8.15 a.m. to 10.15 a.m. Every half hour.
10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every ten minutes.

From 11.00 a.m. to 11.15 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
2.45 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.

Night cars at 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m., and from 9.45 p.m. to 11.15 p.m. Every half hour.

SPECIAL CARS by Arrangement at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, May 1, 1899. 1076

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DEALERS in all kinds of JAPANESE
CURIOS, AND THINGS JAPANESE.
AT MODERATE PRICES.
No. 9, D'Almeida Street.
Head Office, No. 82, Sanmichiya, 1
Chome, Kobe, Japan.

Hongkong, January 9, 1899. 82

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KUN & KOMOR.

11 & 23, Queen's Road, Hongkong;
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HYPO-PHOSPHITE OF LIME

FOR DISEASES OF THE CHEST
All suffering from Catarrh, Consumption, Obstructed Glands, or Colds and those affected with diseases of the Chest, Lungs and Bronchitis should take

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Prescribed by the leading medical authorities in all countries for the last twenty-five years with the greatest success, it cures, it relieves, it restores the system where all other remedies have failed.

GRIMAULT'S SYRUP immediately arrests the progress of Catarrh and Bronchitis, and the Appetite improves rapidly. It is a powerful tonic, and its use is recommended by the leading medical authorities in all countries.

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Shipping

Steamers

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND
CANTON.
THE Steamship **CATHARTIC**, Captain J. J. DUFF, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 11th Instant, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
D. SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1108

FOR KOBE (DIRECT).
THE Steamship **KONOURA MARU**, Captain K. N. SHIMA, will be despatched for the above Port at Noon, on FRIDAY, the 12th May.

For Freight, apply to
DODWELL & Co., LIMITED,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1136

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR MANILA.
THE Company's Steamship **OHINGTU**, Captain Donn, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 12th Instant.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. The First-class Saloon is situated forward of the Engines.

A duly qualified Surgeon is carried and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1143

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE.
THE Company's Steamship **VINDOBONA**, Captain O. BELLE, will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, the 13th Instant, in the afternoon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SANDER, WIEBER & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1144

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship **ORESTES**, Captain PULVER, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 13th May.

For Freight, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, April 24, 1899. 1094

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.
THE Company's Steamship **CHANGSHA**, Captain Moore, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 16th Instant, at 3 p.m.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon is situated forward of the Engines. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried, and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.

N.B. Return Tickets issued by this Company to and from Australia are available for Return by the Steamers of the Eastern and Australian S.S. Co., and vice versa.

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 9, 1899. 1096

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR MANILA.
THE Company's Steamship **CHANGSHA**, Captain Moore, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 16th Instant.

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A duly qualified Surgeon is carried and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.

For Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 9, 1899. 1095

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR WEIHAWEI AND TIENSTIN.
THE Company's Steamship **KWEIYANG**, Captain OUTERBRIDGE, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 16th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 2, 1899. 1018

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship **GLAUCUS**, Captain RAYMOND, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 23rd May.

For Freight, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, April 25, 1899. 1034

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE British Steamship **VORTIGERN**, Captain FAIRWEATHER, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 27th May.

For Freight, apply to
DODWELL & Co., LD.,
Agents.
Hongkong, April 21, 1899. 986

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE 100 A.T. British Steamer **QUEEN MARGARET**, Captain MASTER, will load for the above Port and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, March 18, 1899. 1497

Mails

Steam

STRAITS, OCEAN, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEK, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.
Through Bills of Lading given for BATAVIA, PERMAN, GULF, CONTINENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship **COMMANDEL**, Capt. F. W. VIZET, a.s.s., carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this Port for BOMBAY, &c., on SATURDAY, the 13th May, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports.
Silk and Valuable, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay.
Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to
H. A. RITCHIE,
Superintendent,
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1073

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.
NOTICE.
STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEK, SUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS.

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LEAGUE.

N.B. Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
SUNDAY, May 21.
WEDNESDAY, May 24.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of May, 1899, at 9 a.m., the Company's S.S. **PERSEUS**, Captain E. F. EVANS, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, calling at NAPLES and GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, on MONDAY, the 22nd May. Cargo and Specie will be received on board until 5 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 23rd May, and will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon on TUESDAY, the 23rd May. Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than £2.00, and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in measurement.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess. Linen can be washed on board.

For further Particulars, apply to
MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, April 26, 1899. 106

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEK, EGYPT, MARSAILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX.

ALSO
PORTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATE.

ON SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at Noon, the Company's Steamship **SALAZIE**, Captain NEALE, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for MARSAILLES via BOMBAY.

The Steamer connects at COLOMBO with the S.S. **Australia**, which vessel takes on the 1st June, direct to SUEZ, PORT SAID & MARSAILLES.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal Places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 19th Instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office).

Contents and value of Packages are required.

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, May 6, 1899. 1134

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A FINEST CONDENSED MILK.
For Dozen Tins, £2.50.
Per Case of 4 Dozen Tins, £9.25.

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H. A. RITCHIE,
Superintendent,
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Hongkong, May 8, 1899. 1073

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

TO SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN & HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama & Honolulu.
Saturday, May 20, at Noon.

Tuesday, June 13, at Noon.

THE S.S. **NIFFON MARU** will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on SATURDAY, the 20th May, at Noon, taking Freight and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and America.

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Hongkong, April 15, 1899. 980

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Taking Cargo and Passengers to JAPAN PORTS, HONOLULU, SAN FRANCISCO, SAN DIEGO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

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THE Steamship **Thyris** will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on or about 20th May.

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Saturday, July 1, at Noon.

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